

NOT VOTING—37

Ackerman	Gillmor	Neal
Bevill	Hayes	Quinn
Bilbray	Holden	Saxton
Bunning	Johnson, E. B.	Souder
Cardin	King	Thornton
Clinger	Lincoln	Torricelli
Coleman	Maloney	Walsh
Conyers	Markey	Waxman
Cunningham	McCarthy	Wilson
Davis	McDade	Yates
Doyle	McHugh	Zeliff
English	Moakley	
Geren	Myers	

□ 2052

Messrs. ALLARD, STOCKMAN, and TRAFICANT changed their vote from "aye" to "no."

Mr. MARTINI, Mr. FIELDS of Louisiana, and Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD changed their vote from "no" to "aye."

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The CHAIRMAN. Are there any further amendments to the bill?

If not, under the rule, the Committee rises.

Accordingly the Committee rose; and the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. JONES) having assumed the chair, Mr. CAMP, Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, reported that the Committee, having had under consideration the bill (H.R. 3610) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes, pursuant to House Resolution 453, he reported the bill back to the House with sundry amendments adopted by the Committee of the Whole.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. JONES). Under the rule, the previous question is ordered.

It is a separate vote demanded on any amendments? If not, the Chair will put them en gros.

The amendments were agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the engrossment and the third reading of the bill.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, and was read the third time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the passage of the bill.

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XV, the yeas and nays are ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 278, nays 126, not voting 30, as follows:

[Roll No. 247]

YEAS—278

Abercrombie	Bereuter	Buyer
Allard	Bilirakis	Callahan
Andrews	Bishop	Calvert
Archer	Bliley	Canady
Armedy	Boehlert	Chambliss
Bachus	Boehner	Chapman
Baker (CA)	Bonilla	Chenoweth
Baker (LA)	Bono	Christensen
Ballenger	Boucher	Clay
Barcia	Brewster	Clayton
Barr	Browder	Clement
Barrett (NE)	Brown (FL)	Clyburn
Bartlett	Brownback	Coble
Barton	Bryant (TN)	Coburn
Bass	Bunning	Coleman
Bateman	Burr	Collins (GA)
Bentsen	Burton	Combest

Condit	Horn	Peterson (FL)
Cooley	Hostettler	Pickett
Cox	Houghton	Pombo
Cramer	Hoyer	Pomeroy
Crane	Hunter	Porter
Crapo	Hutchinson	Portman
Creameans	Hyde	Pryce
Cubin	Inglis	Quillen
Cummings	Istook	Quinn
Davis	Jackson-Lee	Radanovich
de la Garza	(TX)	Reed
Deal	Jacobs	Regula
DeLauro	Jefferson	Roberts
DeLay	Johnson, Sam	Roemer
Deutsch	Jones	Rogers
Diaz-Balart	Kasich	Rohrabacher
Dickey	Kelly	Ros-Lehtinen
Dicks	Kennedy (RI)	Rose
Dixon	Kennelly	Roth
Doollittle	Kildee	Royce
Dornan	Kim	Salmon
Dreier	King	Scarborough
Duncan	Kingston	Schaefer
Dunn	Klink	Schiff
Edwards	Knollenberg	Scott
Ehrlich	Kolbe	Seastrand
Emerson	LaHood	Shadegg
Ensign	Largent	Shaw
Everett	Latham	Shuster
Ewing	LaTourette	Sisisky
Fawell	Laughlin	Skeen
Fazio	Lazio	Skelton
FIELDS (LA)	Leach	Slaughter
FIELDS (TX)	Lewis (CA)	Smith (NJ)
Flake	Lewis (KY)	Smith (TX)
Forbes	Lightfoot	Smith (WA)
Fowler	Linder	Solomon
Fox	Livingston	Souder
Franks (CT)	Longley	Spence
Frelinghuysen	Lucas	Spratt
Frisa	Manton	Stearns
Frost	Manzullo	Stenholm
Funderburk	Martinez	Stokes
Galleghy	Matsui	Stump
Gejdenson	McCollum	Talent
Gekas	McCrery	Tanner
Gephardt	McHale	Tate
Gibbons	McInnis	Tauzin
Gilchrest	McIntosh	Taylor (MS)
Gilman	McKeon	Taylor (NC)
Gonzalez	McNulty	Tejeda
Goodlatte	Meek	Thomas
Goodling	Metcalf	Thompson
Gordon	Meyers	Thornberry
Goss	Mica	Thurman
Graham	Millender-McDonald	Tiahrt
Green (TX)	Miller (FL)	Torkildsen
Greene (UT)	Mink	Torres
Greenwood	Molinari	Traficant
Hall (OH)	Mollohan	Visclosky
Hall (TX)	Montgomery	Vucanovich
Hamilton	Moorhead	Walker
Hancock	Moran	Wamp
Hansen	Murtha	Ward
Harman	Myrick	Watts (OK)
Hastert	Nethercutt	Weldon (FL)
Hastings (FL)	Norwood	Weldon (PA)
Hastings (WA)	Nussle	Weller
Hayworth	Ortiz	White
Hefley	Orton	Whitfield
Hefner	Oxley	Wicker
Heineman	Packard	Wolf
Herger	Parker	Wynn
Hilleary	Pastor	Young (AK)
Hobson	Paxon	Young (FL)
Hoke	Payne (VA)	
Holden		

NAYS—126

Baesler	Collins (MI)	Foley
Baldacci	Costello	Ford
Barrett (WI)	Coyne	Frank (MA)
Becerra	Danner	Franks (NJ)
Beilenson	DeFazio	Furse
Berman	Dellums	Ganske
Blumenauer	Dingell	Gunderson
Blute	Doggett	Gutierrez
Bonior	Dooley	Gutknecht
Borski	Doyle	Hilliard
Brown (CA)	Durbin	Hinchey
Brown (OH)	Ehlers	Hoekstra
Bryant (TX)	Engel	Jackson (IL)
Bunn	Eshoo	Johnson (CT)
Camp	Evans	Johnson (SD)
Campbell	Farr	Johnston
Castle	Fattah	Kanjorski
Chabot	Filner	Kaptur
Chrysler	Flanagan	Kennedy (MA)
Collins (IL)	Foglietta	Kleccka

Klug	Oberstar	Schroeder
LaFalce	Obey	Schumer
Lantos	Olver	Sensenbrenner
Levin	Owens	Serrano
Lewis (GA)	Pallone	Shays
Lipinski	Payne (NJ)	Skaggs
LoBiondo	Pelosi	Smith (MI)
Lofgren	Peterson (MN)	Stark
Lowe	Petri	Stockman
Luther	Poshard	Studds
Markey	Rahall	Stupak
Martini	Ramstad	Towns
Mascara	Rangel	Upton
McDermott	Riggs	Velazquez
McKinney	Rivers	Vento
Menendez	Roukema	Volkmer
Miller (CA)	Roybal-Allard	Waters
Minge	Rush	Watt (NC)
Morella	Sabo	Williams
Nadler	Sanders	Wise
Neumann	Sanford	Woolsey
Ney	Sawyer	Zimmer

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English	Meehan	Wilson
Geren	Moakley	Yates
Gillmor	Myers	Zeliff

□ 2112

The Clerk announced the following pair: On this vote:

Mr. Bilbray for, with Mr. Ackerman, against.

Mr. CLAY changed his vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

(Mr. BONIOR asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. BONIOR. Mr. Speaker, I yield to my friend from Texas [Mr. ARMEY], the distinguished majority leader, for the purpose of engaging in a colloquy to find out the schedule for the rest of the week and next week.

Mr. ARMEY. I thank the gentleman for yielding.

Mr. Speaker, in just a few minutes we will be taking under consideration a very important resolution regarding the burning of churches. By common agreement out of consideration for the Members of the body and the lateness of the hour, we can assure Members due to the generosity on both sides of the aisle that there will not be a recorded vote on that matter. That being the case, I can announce that we have just had the last vote for the evening and for the week.

On Monday next, June 17, the House will meet in pro forma session. Members should note, contrary to the original House schedule, we will not have legislative business or votes on Monday.

□ 2115

On Tuesday, June 18, the House will meet at 9 a.m. for morning hour, and 10 a.m. for legislative business. Members

should be advised that recorded votes will be postponed until 12 noon on Tuesday, June 18.

On Tuesday, the House will take up six bills under suspension of the rules: H.R. 3005, the Securities Amendments of 1996; H.R. 2803, the Anti-Car Theft Improvements Act of 1996; H.R. 3525, the Church Arson Prevention Act of 1996; H.R. 3572, a bill to designate the William H. Natcher Bridge; H.R. 3184, the Single Audit Act Amendments of 1996; and H.R. 3107, the Iran Oil Sanctions Act of 1996.

On Wednesday, June 19, and Thursday, June 20, the House will meet at 10 a.m. for legislative business. We will consider the Interior and the VA-HUD appropriations bills, both of which will be subject to rules.

And, Mr. Speaker, if I might just add, we are continuing to talk to Members on both sides of the aisle that are concerned with the VA appropriation bill, and it is hoped that possibly we might be able to work that out for consideration on Tuesday. That has not yet been settled.

I would like to remind Members, though, Mr. Speaker, that we may take up a resolution holding the President's aides in contempt of Congress. It is our hope that the President will be forthcoming with the subpoenaed Travelgate documents before next week; however, in the event that these key documents are not provided, we may find a need to act on the contempt resolution.

Next week, Mr. Speaker, we should conclude legislative business and have the Members on their way home by 6 p.m. on Thursday, June 20.

Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentleman for yielding.

Mr. BONIOR. Mr. Speaker, I thank my colleague for his information for this week and next week.

Mr. SOLOMON. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield.

Mr. BONIOR. I yield to my friend, the gentleman from New York.

Mr. SOLOMON. Mr. Speaker, I am a little bit concerned. We need to be taking up these two appropriation bills this coming week, Interior and the HUD-independent agencies bill. I have a Committee on Rules to run upstairs and the gentleman from Michigan [Mr. BONIOR] served on that committee for many years. He knows that if we are going to be coming back here, which we are willing to do in the Committee on Rules Monday night and put out a rule so that we can have the HUD-independent agencies bill on the floor Tuesday, we need to know this evening.

Members have the right to know what they are going to be doing. If we are going to have to be coming back here on Monday, we need to make reservations. Under the laws now we cannot have two or three or four backup reservations, and I would suggest my good friend, the majority leader, who I know wants to cooperate, and the gentleman from Missouri [Mr. GEPHARDT], work this thing out and let us know to-

night what we are going to be doing, one way or the other, so that these Members can schedule their weekends and the valuable time they have back in their districts. That is only fair.

We are willing to sacrifice coming back here a day early to do it. So think about that. It is important to all of us.

Mr. ARMEY. If the gentleman would continue to yield for a moment, I would advise the chairman of the Committee on Rules that we are having discussions on this. They are going cordially, and as soon as we have more complete discussions, we will let the gentleman and the committee know.

Mr. SOLOMON. I appreciate that.

ADJOURNMENT TO MONDAY, JUNE 17, 1996

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 2 p.m. on Monday next.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. JONES). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Texas?

There was no objection.

DISPENSING WITH CALENDAR WEDNESDAY BUSINESS ON WEDNESDAY NEXT

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the business in order under the Calendar Wednesday rule be dispensed with on Wednesday next.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Texas?

There was no objection.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 5 of rule I, the pending business is the question of agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal of the last day's proceedings.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I the Journal stands approved.

COMMUNICATION FROM CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE OVERSIGHT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Speaker, pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Chairman of the Committee on House Oversight:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
COMMITTEE ON HOUSE OVERSIGHT,
Washington, DC, June 10, 1996.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker, of the House of Representatives, the Capitol, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: This is to formally notify you pursuant to Rule L (50) of the Rules of the House that the House Franking Commission has been served with a subpoena issued by the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan.

After consultation with the General Counsel, I have determined that compliance with the subpoena is consistent with the privileges and precedents of the House.

Sincerely,

BILL THOMAS, *Chairman*.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Speaker pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Chief Administrative Officer of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Washington, DC, June 12, 1996.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker, House of Representatives,
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: This is to formally notify you pursuant to Rule L (50) of the Rules of the House that the Office of Finance has been served with a subpoena issued by the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan.

After consultation with the General Counsel, I have determined that compliance with the subpoena is consistent with the privileges and precedents of the House.

Sincerely,

SCOT M. FAULKNER.

EXPRESSING SENSE OF CONGRESS WITH RESPECT TO RECENT CHURCH BURNINGS

Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary be discharged from further consideration of the concurrent resolution (House Concurrent Resolution 187) expressing the sense of the Congress with respect to recent church burnings, and ask for its immediate consideration in the House; that debate on the concurrent resolution be limited to fifty minutes, equally divided and controlled by myself and the gentlewoman from North Carolina [Mrs. CLAYTON]; and that the previous question be considered as ordered on the concurrent resolution to final adoption without intervening motion.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Oklahoma?

Mrs. CLAYTON. Mr. Speaker, reserving the right to object, although I do not plan to object, let me just understand the time.

Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma. Mr. Speaker, will the gentlewoman yield?

Mrs. CLAYTON. I yield to the gentleman from Oklahoma.

Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma. Mr. Speaker, 50 minutes total, 25 minutes per side.

Mrs. CLAYTON. Mr. Speaker, we have quite a number of people who have expressed a desire to speak, and I would like some accommodation. I know that the gentleman has been working with me, but is it possible we can do 30 minutes each side?

Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma. Mr. Speaker, if the gentlewoman would continue to yield, we probably will not use our 25 minutes, so I can accommodate the gentlewoman, yes.

Mrs. CLAYTON. Mr. Speaker, I appreciate that.

Mr. Speaker, I withdraw my reservation of objection.